## MARINA ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES

- 1. All self-employed boat workers and independent contractors must register with and receive approval from the Manager of the Marine Bureau.
- 2. Owners may undertake boat projects as needed to maintain their vessels' safety, appearance and utility. New or substantial exterior work encompassing more than 25 percent of the hull's surface must be reviewed by the Marine Bureau Manager.
- 3. Marina management encourages all vessel owners to adhere to the following Best Management Practices.

# **Engines and Bilges**

- Use absorbent bilge pads to soak up oil and fuel
- Recycle oil and diesel properly.
- Dispose of gasoline properly.
- Dispose of filters properly.
- Do not discharge bilge water if there is a sheen to it.
- Do not dispose any fuel or used oil in the marina's dumpsters.
- Contact management for nearest recycling locations.

### PAINTING AND VARNISHING

- Limit the amount of open solvents or paints on the docks to one gallon.
- Always mix paints and epoxy over a tarp.
- Always use a drip pan or drop cloth.
- Spray painting is not allowed within the marina.
- Use up remaining bits of paint by spreading on an old board.
- Do not dispose of paint or solvents in the marina's dumpsters.
  Contact management for nearest recycling locations.

#### SURFACE PREPARATION

- Use biodegradable cleaner and teak cleaner.
- Liberally use tarps to capture all scraping, debris and drips.
- Stretch tarps between side of boat and dock when working over the water.
- Vacuum dust and debris every time you move the tarp or every hour.
- Reverse the boat in the slip to work on the far side.

#### **SEWAGE**

- Untreated sewage should never be discharged directly overboard.
- Store sewage in holding tanks and dispose of properly at pumpout stations.
- Contact management for the phone numbers of commercial pumpout services.
- Ensure MSD Type I systems work properly and discharge only when underway.
- Do not discharge Type I while moored in marina.
- Use shore-side facilities as often as possible

#### SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL

- Dispose of all garbage in proper shore-side receptacles.
- Let empty cans dry thoroughly before disposing in trash.
- Recycle green, brown and clear glass, newspapers and aluminum.

#### CHEMICAL STORAGE

- Purchase only the amount of chemicals/paints you need for the project.
- Review storage of paints and solvents every six months, and properly dispose of old or unnecessary products.
- Do not store more than three gallons total of paint and solvents.